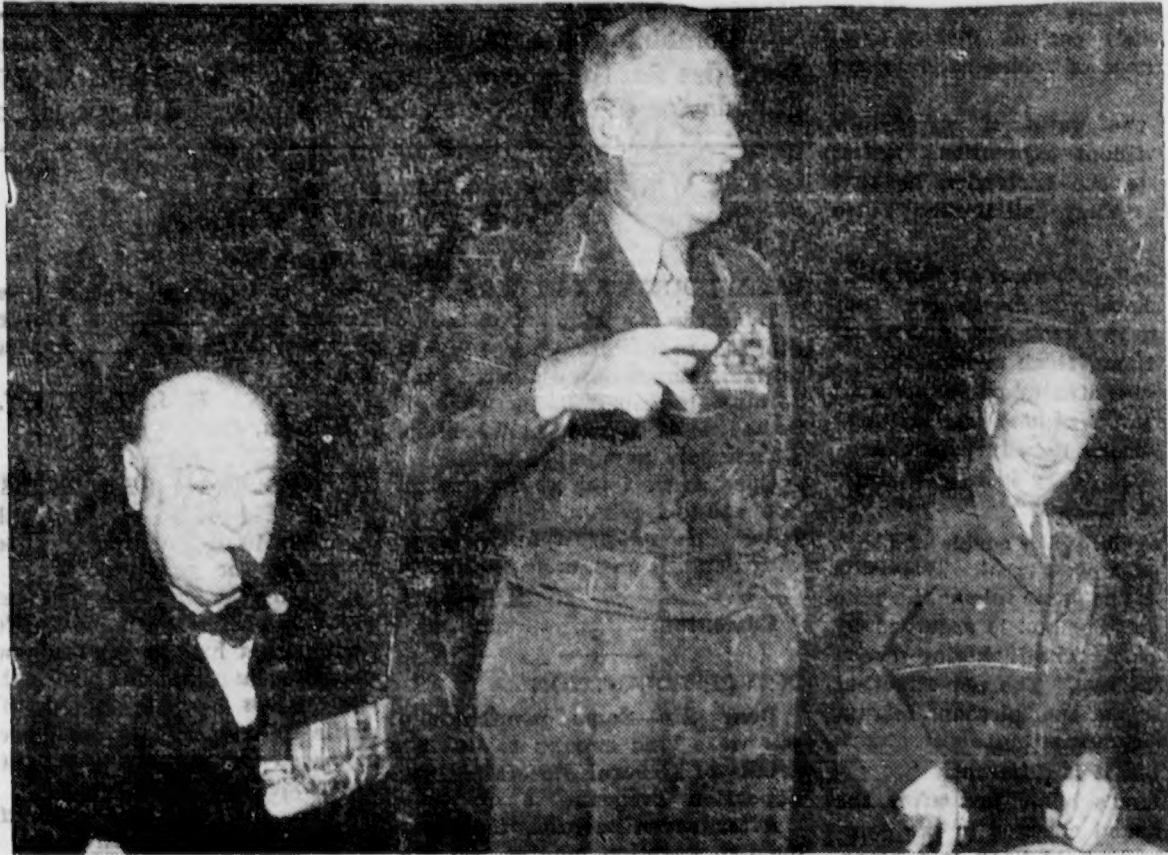


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REMARKS of Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery, one-time commander of Britain's Eighth Army, bring varied response from Winston Churchill, Britain's prime minister, and Gen. Dwight A. Eisenhower, Atlantic Pact commander. Viscount Montgomery spoke at a reunion in London of the "Desert Rats" he once commanded in North Africa against Germany's Rommel.

Teachers' Institute Held At Westlock

On Nov. 23, 24, the teachers of the Westlock Inspectorate met to discuss classroom problems in a one and half day Institute held at the Westlock High School.

The Institute Committee composed of Superintendent Kunelius, G. R. Mealing, Mrs. Alma Parton and Mrs. Eva Hunter, had planned an Institute of the Workshop type. This is characterized by the breaking up of the larger group into smaller groups, each discussing a different topic. The groups were small, ten to fifteen in number, and each individual was encouraged to make his contribution by expressing his viewpoint of the topic under discussion. The results arrived at were summarized and were later presented to the Institute as a whole.

Seventy-five teachers met and discussed such topics as:

Sparking the day in a primary room by means of well spaced purposeful, whole class activities, mutual assistance in acquiring teaching proficiency and teaching the new Health and Personality Development Course in grades 7-10.

In the evening, teachers and guests, 125 in all, sat down to a banquet in the Home Economics room of the Westlock High School.

The guests, introduced by the Master of Ceremonies, G. R. Mealing, included trustees, Mike Romaniuk and Alois Zaczkowski of the Westlock Divisional Board, and Mr. Burchett, the secretary; representatives of the Home and School Association from the

different points in the inspectorate; Mr. Frank Edwards, the A.T.A. District Representative; His Worship, Mayor Watt.

A feature of the banquet was a Panel Discussion on the topic "How we can work together for the good of the school."

The panel consisted of Dr. G. R. Whissell, Millar Watt, Carl Antonson, Mrs. B. Fricker, R. F. Staples, with L. W. Kunelius acting as chairman.

The discussion brought out the following points: the parents are responsible for discipline as well as the teacher; the three "R's" are not being emphasized; modern education has shifted to new aspects of living and new values.

The evening closed with cards and dancing.

The next morning saw the assembled teachers listening to reports from the discussion groups of the previous day.

An address by Superintendent Kunelius, was followed by a short business meeting of the A.T.A. local after which the Institute adjourned.

Veteran Catholic Missionary Is Dead

Rev. E. Ruau, well known in Alberta for his missionary work among the province's Indians, has passed away.

Father Ruau, a native of Brittany, France, was successively in charge of the school for the Peigan Indians at Brocket, the Indian school at Hobbema, and Gleichen.

Have you answered that Christ-mas Seal letter?

CLYDE NEWS BRIEFS

A good time was had by all who attended the Fireman's Ball on Friday evening in the Clyde Hall. It is hoped that the new organization will have more of these dances later in the winter.

On Tuesday evening the Trail Rangers organized for the winter with the following executive: Chief, Lionel Moncrieff; tally, Donald Williams; tally, Milton Moncrieff; cache, Robert Runnels. One new member, Howard Riggs, was initiated into the organization.

In Tuxis Square, on the same evening, Lester Bishop was chosen as pretor, Gordon Aultman, subpretor; sriptor, Leo Sempovitch; cache, Jack Langford.

The Clyde-Tawatinaw C.Y.O. organized for the season with president, Theresa Bault, Tawatinaw; vice - president, Amelia Ringstad; secretary - treasurer, Betty Knittle; social convener, Stanley Slupek; assistant, Bill Balascak, Tawatinaw; lunch convener, Mary Kisylcia, of Tawatinaw, and Rita Blackburn; spiritual leader, John Slupek.

A Sadie Hawkins Social evening was held by the C.Y.O. in Clyde Community Hall Sunday evening. About a hundred members from Athabasca, Barrhead, Westlock, Picardville and Clyde attended. A number of Variety Dances were carried out. Winners of the elimination were Mary Hess of Clyde and Adolph Brusilo from Athabasca. Theresa Bault and Mary Hess acted as "Local Yokum" and put on an act of "My Heart Bawls for You" and ended with a serious note of "It is no Secret." They led in a sing song. Music was supplied by the P.A. system with John Slupek and Paul Des-truel at the controls. Soft drinks and bars were sold by Howard Ringstad and Tony Knittle. Lunch was served by Rita Blackburn, Amelia Ringstad, Theresa Bault, Carl Birks and John Slupek. Much credit goes to Rita on her bands.

ST. ALBERT NEWS BRIEFS

The Home and School met on Wednesday, Nov. 21, with about 35 present.

Mr. Walker was guest speaker and traced the growth and development of education through the years.

A very good program has been outlined by the executive. It should be interesting for all parents and teachers to attend.

The Credit Union executive met Friday night. Their objective is to put on a drive for memberships. It is very convenient to have bank facilities here so local citizens should try to help by supporting it as much as possible.

The Students' Union had a

very good bean supper and dance Friday evening. It would be nice if more parents would support the students' efforts.

The Curling Rink Executive met Friday evening and made plans for the Annual Meeting for Wednesday evening, Nov. 28. Mr. O'Toole will have the lunch concession.

A pool room has been opened in the building recently vacated by the Post Office. Mr. Bitz is the proprietor.

Skating rink tickets are single \$1.50, family \$5.00. Buy them from Mrs. Vogue, Constable Riley, G. Raboud.

Mrs. E. L'Hirondelle has recently returned from hospital. She had a goitre removed.

St. Albert ATA Elects Officers

ST. ALBERT — Thirteen teachers of the St. Albert local ATA met Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 21.

New officers elected for 1951-52 were: President, Sr. Cote; vice-president, W. Fitzpatrick; secretary-treasurer, Miss M. Wolniewicz; councillor and public relations representative, G. Raboud.

For the next meeting plans were made, to discuss the Pension Scheme.

The main theme of the work of the public relations this year is to make personal contacts between parents and teachers.

gement of the refreshments for the evening. A very enjoyable time was had by all who attended.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill of Clyde to celebrate birthdays and wedding anniversaries were Mr. and Mrs. L. Jendrick and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill and Linda of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Madsen of Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. A. Biederman of Vimy and Harry Hill of Westlock.

The Public Library of St. Albert recently received a donation and several books from the Youville Convent and the WI which will broaden the facilities of the library.

The Youville Convent donated a complete set of Charles Dickens' Novels and a collection of Sir Walter Scott's works, and the WI donated \$50 in cash and several books collected as roll call.

New titles are: "Skate With Me," Barbara Anne Scott, "Faith of Mrs. Killeen," "Cass Timberlaine," "Wild Dog of Edmonton," "On the Side of the Law," "Bells on Their Toes," sequel to Cheaper by the Dozen; "Fortress North," "Gaspé—Land of History and Romance," "Uncle Tom's Cabin," and "Madam Curie."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Ethier, a daughter, nine pounds, nine ounces.

The idea of Father's Day originated with Mrs. John B. Dodd, Spokane. The first celebration was held in Spokane June 19, 1910.

Hello, St. Albert and Community Residents, Friends.

This is a call from your St. Albert Savings and Credit Union Ltd. wishing to remind you of the important role played by its organization in your local town and district.

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The directing officers will only be too glad to see more St. Albert businessmen, more residents, men and women, children, youngsters, on their own, joining the organization. Every one living at St. Albert or surrounding district should, like a good soldier, join in the ranks. In so doing he will help himself, his family, his fellow friends, his own community, and help in the building of St. Albert. NO KIDDING, WE NEED THE CREDIT UNION AT ST. ALBERT. And for the pioneers, creators of the movement, there would be no better thanks to their freely given time, sacrifices and efforts to the cause, than your loyal support.

Yes! Men, women, young folks of good understanding, don't hesitate. Come along, be a new member tomorrow.

Thanks! From the President and Directing Officers.

ST. ALBERT SAVINGS & CREDIT UNION LIMITED

per C. A. BRODEUR, Secretary.

MORINVILLE, WHITECOURT CHILDREN GET BIG CITY RECOGNITION

David and Rita Gingrass, of Morinville, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gingrass, have received special recognition by Housez Studio in Edmonton. Their

pictures were published last week in a daily newspaper.

Another district child to get photographer's honors is Bren Quintal, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Quintal, of Whitecourt.

EDITORIALS

New Canadian Flag

More and more, our country is taking its place as an equal among other nations of the world. An integral part of the British Commonwealth of nations, it is nonetheless wholly independent of the mother country.

People in the United States who know their U.S. history of the Revolutionary war of 1776 often have queer ideas about Canada's relationship to Great Britain. "We won our independence, why don't you?" is the attitude of some Americans. Part of this misconception is due to our continued use of the British flag as our flag and terms such as "Dominion of Canada" when referring to the country of Canada.

Parliament is abolishing the term Dominion. How about a distinctive Canadian flag?

Cut Living Cost

Canadians could greatly reduce the cost of living by revising their eating habits. It isn't necessary, for instance, to eat pure white bread, but it costs more and hasn't the same high food value.

This is one of the reasons why bread costs more in Canada than it does in Great Britain. Another reason is that Britain subsidizes bread from heavy British taxes. But the fact remains that British bread is made from 84 per cent extraction flour, while Canadians want a white bread from 62 per cent extraction.

The Dangerous Tractor

The Alberta Wheat Pool's clipping file shows that at least 18 farm people have lost their lives in tractor accidents in Alberta so far this year. Many others received disabling and painful injuries.

The latest fatal accident occurred in the Reno district near Peace River when Sidney Yaskovich was killed. His tractor toppled as it went off the edge of the road and Mr. Yaskovich was crushed beneath.

Farm people should never forget that the farm tractor is a dangerous implement. They should take particular care when operating it on a road. The tractor has a high centre of gravity and tips much more easily than an automobile.

The Arms Race

Just at present the peace of the world is being threatened as it never has been troubled before. In Iran and Egypt clouds are gathering on the horizon in deepening darkness. In Korea the massed guns are blazing in anger, even while armistice talks are being renewed. In the United States and Russia, the arms race is gaining tempo with blasts of atomic bombs and new weapons of destruction thundering out of great clouds of terrifying magnitude.

The cruel race seems on, with the end known to be immeasurable death and destruction for the nations, unless a halt is called to man's murderous designs. Reports of new atomic trial blasts follow one another from Russia and the United States, alternating their frightful threats to a peace loving world in terror of the final result.

Always before the great wars that have wrought their devastation and massed death, these arms races have taken place and never before has the race ended without bloodshed and horror for millions of mankind. Is it likely that nations forging their weapons of death can stop in time to avert the final triumph of evil and injustice?

The Canadian people are looking to their government with anxious eyes to put a stop to the evil designs of warmongers and bring peace to the world. The Christian church must join hands with all lovers of peace in every land and storm the heavens in prayer that God will hasten His day of universal peace before it is too late.

The Bible Today:

There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, for one star differeth from another star in glory.—I Corinthians XV:41.

The Big Eye

By JACK SCOTT

Earlier this week I had a good look at what television is doing to the south. It put an awful wilt in my enthusiasm. Fact is, this new miracle is going to make some fundamental changes in the ordinary guy's way of living.

I went into one of the many cocktail bars that advertise television, twisted myself on the last available red leather stool, ordered a Pabst and focussed on the screen. The set was down at one end of the bar, well above the eye level. All the customers had their heads cocked, giving them something of the appearance of robins listening for worms.

Curiously enough, the faces of my fellow listeners were utterly without expression. Later, when I mentioned this to the bartender, he said they had a name for it. They call it "the Video Stare."

"It ain't like a movie," this observer told me. "Even on the comedy shows you hardly ever see anybody laughing. They just look at it with that stare like it was hypnotizing them or something. In a movie, see, you're concentratin' on the screen. But here with people movin' around and waiters and bartenders mixin' drinks nobody pays much attention to the television. They look at it, but don't see it. Know what I mean?"

From what I saw in this and a couple of other bistros I'd say the bartender was right. Television in these places plays much the same role as the juke box. The music from the juke box is absorbed by the ear almost unconsciously. The flickering screen acts the same way on the eye. The net effect of both is to make the tavern a less pleasant retreat and to murder any real conversation.

In the homes, however, it is different.

I arrived at one friend's home just after the channel had closed down and assisted in the ceremony of pushing the chesterfield back into place. There were four guests, neighbors, and they left within the next 10 minutes.

"There you see a perfect example of the Video Bum," my friend said when the neighbors had left. "Got so we never spend a quiet evening alone any more. We have the only set in the block and they're beating a path to our door. All we need is a box office outside and we'd be just like a movie. This thing is making me anti-social."

I suggested this might be merely because television has the attraction of being new and that the visitors would either buy sets of their own or weary of the novelty.

"I hoped so at first," my host said, "but it isn't working out that way. A lot of people keep putting off buying a set because they're pretty sure there'll be some big improvements in the near future, and also that the price may come down. And as for them getting bored with it—just the opposite. As a habit this thing is worse than marijuana. And, of course it's free."

I had business to do with some newspaper executives, each of whom has a set. I asked them what effect television has had in their homes.

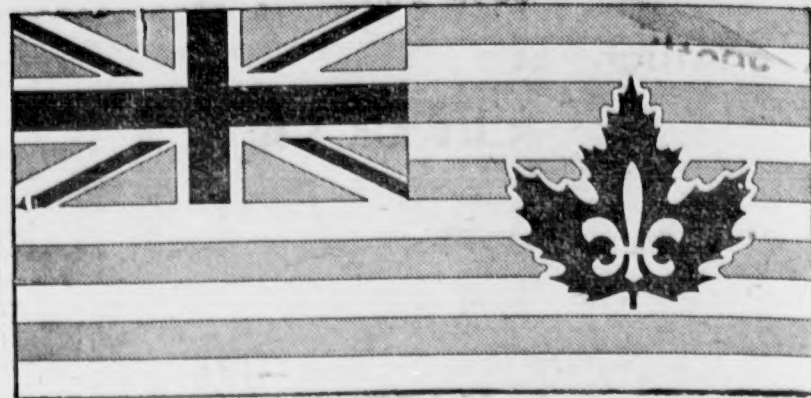
"Murder," one said. "It's first had effect is educational. Our kids are nuts about television as they never were about radio. They keep glued to that bright square and most of the stuff they see is just junk. A year ago we thought our eldest boy, Bill, was going to be a reader. He was getting interested in books and ideas that were advanced for his age and I was happy about it. Video is keeping him away from that."

"That that's as true of adults as it is with kids," another put in. "The thing has a fascination about it. It keeps you from other interests. People have learned to be selective about ordinary radio. With television they'll look at anything that moves. And so far, at any rate, video has all the cultural aspect of a burlesque theatre."

Note and Comment

Efforts are being made in Saudi Arabia to extend the facilities of ancient irrigation systems by the use of modern irrigation techniques. However, water rights in this country are as intricate as the tunnels themselves which often cross one another at various levels and much of the government's trouble is to avoid infringing complex traditional customs.

The new move is, however, important because agriculture in Saudi Arabia depends entirely on irrigation, and though the areas under cultivation are widely separated by desert, they can be extended by a more efficient distribution of water. Rains in the autumn and early winter, which are not allowed to escape into the salt mudflats on the coastal plain, will be controlled by dams.



Combining the British Union Jack with the French fleur des lis, the above is suggestion of the Lions Club of Canada for solution of Canada's controversial flag question.

Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

READ LOUISA'S LETTERS

Dear Sir—Along with many others, we admire your courage in publishing the Sun against such formidable competition, when it looked as if Edmonton would be a monopoly newspaper town.

Good as we think your paper is, how about a column for the love-lorn? This suggestion is given with a quite charitable motive.

B. W. M.

Edmonton.

DRIVER EDUCATION

Dear Sir—Some months ago you were kind enough to publish details of General Motors' Driver Education Program.

After seven months, including the two vacation months, we are happy to report that it is in use in 145 schools from the Pacific to the Atlantic.

The Department of Education in each Province has a film kit in its library for the use of High Schools in outlying areas.

The RCMP plan to take the kit into use in their training depots and in their youth work.

The police departments in some areas are using the films in their own driver training program.

To date the program has been most successful in bringing to the attention of education authorities the possibility of making a contribution to the solution of the traffic problem through the education of young drivers. The role to be played by audio visual aids in making this education effective is, of course, generally recog-

nized. The General Motors Driver Education kit has been accepted as an outstanding set of visual aids.

E. J. UMPHREY.

Oshawa, Ont.

THANKS FROM RED CROSS

Dear Sir—May we take this opportunity of thanking you, most sincerely, for your generosity in promoting the Red Cross' September appeal for grain. We feel certain that had the weather permitted a harvest this year, that the time and space given by the media of Alberta would have encouraged the farmers to complete the needed \$40,000 quota.

While we were not successful in reaching our objective, we do want you to know that we appreciate, greatly, your support and interest in the service we render crippled children in this province.

Yours sincerely,

L.T.-COL. D. H. TOMLINSON.

Commissioner,
Alberta Division, CRCS,
Calgary, Alta.

CRAVES ALBERTA FISHING

Dear Sir—We find your paper very interesting and keeps us up-to-date on what's going on around Alberta way. We haven't forgotten our fishing trip to Lake Wabamun and often talk about the lovely mess of fish we caught in such a short time. But those Saskatchewan roads—we broke down 250 miles from Edmonton.

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Spotlight on...

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People

Week Ending Nov. 24, 1951

MAGAZINE WRITER SEES GREAT INDUSTRIAL FUTURE IN ALBERTA'S OILFIELDS

"Rampaging wells and eager people are signs of the times in booming Alberta, whose oil find is the most significant on the continent since Texas Spindletop roared in 50 years ago.

Hailing a "brilliant industrial future for the top half of the continent," a December Reader's Digest article, condensed from Time, notes that since 1947, when the first Alberta well came in, 45 new oilfields have been established across the province. Portable derricks have drilled more than two new wells a day. Over 300 million U.S. dollars, "one of the freest and fastest streams of American private capital ever sluiced into a foreign country," have been invested in Alberta oil.

The Digest article, "Alberta Strikes It Rich," is being published in international editions of the magazine throughout the world. Through it, editors point out, more than 50 million people in several dozen different countries will learn about Alberta's oil progress.

With "characteristic Canadian reserve," the article says, Alberta has suppressed most of the roistering atmosphere of a traditional oil boom. But evidence of a changing frontier is visible everywhere. Edmonton's population has leaped from 143,000 to 160,000 since 1946. Full fledged towns have mushroomed across the countryside. New schools, hospitals and highways, financed with government oil revenue, are



A VOICE well known to Alberta housewives is that of Howard Cable, who is heard in a mid-day radio program three times a week.

building up and down the province. Alberta has reduced taxes seven per cent. Its debt has been cut in half.

Great pools of natural gas have also been probed by the drills. Enthusiastic U.S. oil men envision the Alberta of the future as a northern Texas whose oil and gas pipelines will fan out over the top half of the continent. Already Alberta oil is flowing fast enough to fill a third of Canada's needs. "All this," the Digest article concludes, "has been accomplished in four years, with only the first big rush from the wells. For Alberta, the brimming best is yet to come."

Final Wheat Payment "Highest Can Expect"

Henry Young, president of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, said he approved of the \$1.85 1-2 per bushel for No. 1 Northern wheat, final payment announced by the Wheat Board. "It was the highest price we could expect to get under the present system," he said.

Mr. Young said western farmers subsidize the Canadian public to the amount of 20c on every bushel of wheat sold. He is not satisfied with the present method of selling wheat for domestic consumption.

Roy C. Marler, president of the Alberta Federation of Agriculture, said, "I think the payment is acceptable considering the terms of the international agreement."

He believed the price was "a little low" considering increased prices for other commodities, and increased costs to the farmer.

28 Towns To Have Automatic Phones

Twenty-eight Alberta towns will have their present telephone systems changed to automatic exchanges when Alberta Government Telephones begin their long-range improvement plan soon.

Mr. Alfred Higgins, general manager and deputy minister of telephones announced recently that, through the plan, the A.G.T. plans to "provide better service and modern equipment at a reasonable cost."

Beyond Jasper Place and Nain, Mr. Higgins added that it may take 15 years to complete the entire plan, but the immediate attention will be focused on six centers, at a cost exceeding \$1,000,000.

Beyond Jasper Place and Nain, Mr. Higgins says the department is not prepared to release the names of other towns involved in the program.



From left to right: Joanne Copley; Priscilla Mewha, Home Economist; Marjory Banta. Miss Copley and Miss Banta represented Alberta in the garden club competition at the Royal Winter Fair. Both are from Crossfield, Alberta.

Crossfield Girls Attend Royal Fair At Toronto

Two Alberta girls, both from Crossfield, have received the highest marks for proficiency in garden club work in Alberta, and have won the right to attend the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto. They competed with entries from other points in Canada. The girls, Joanne Copley and Marjory Banta, earned their titles under the

supervision of Miss Priscilla Mewha, district Home Economist, who has her headquarters in Calgary.

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University Farm Wins Royal Winter Fair Award

A shorthorn steer, entered in the Royal Winter Fair by the University of Alberta, won the award of grand champion steer recently.

The champion was exhibited at the fair by Fred Major, herdsman for the university. The title of the steer, which was the first summer yearling in the market division, is "Earl U.A."

Reserve champion of the show was "Quiet Lad," Aberdeen angus steer by W. F. McRae and Sons of Hayfield, Manitoba, and reserve champion Shorthorn was "Glenburn Quadron" owned by

K. E. Deacon of Unionville, Ontario.

"Royal Model," a grade Hereford owned by Joseph and Lawrence Kallal of Tofield, Alberta, was the reserve champion of the grade and crossbred class.

The champion steer, owned by Frank Radau, of Bowden, Alberta, and E. F. Noad of Claresholm, was the first prize, summer yearling.

The owners of the grand champion Aberdeen Angus were Edwards Brothers of Watford, Ontario, and reserve championship was taken by Robert Ferguson of Brandon.

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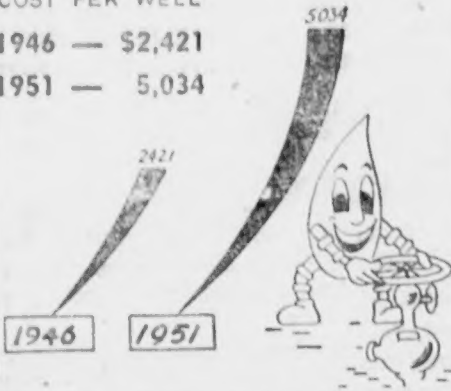
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In 1939 the average cost of natural gas to domestic consumers in Edmonton was 36.8c
Average cost under the new rate 33.3c
Domestic consumers in Edmonton still save 3.5c

GAS WELLS

Cost of Operating and Maintaining Gas Wells Has Doubled.

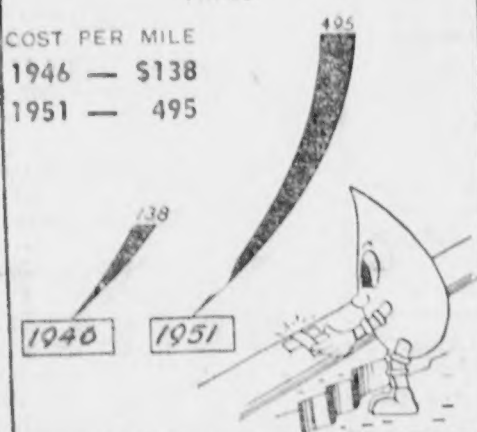
COST PER WELL
1946 — \$2,421
1951 — 5,034



TRANSMISSION

Cost of Operating and Maintaining Transmission Pipelines Up 3½ Times.

COST PER MILE
1946 — \$138
1951 — 495

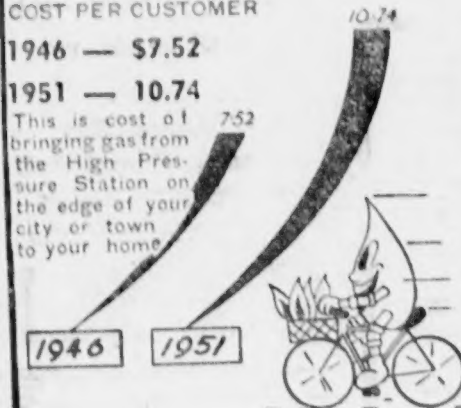


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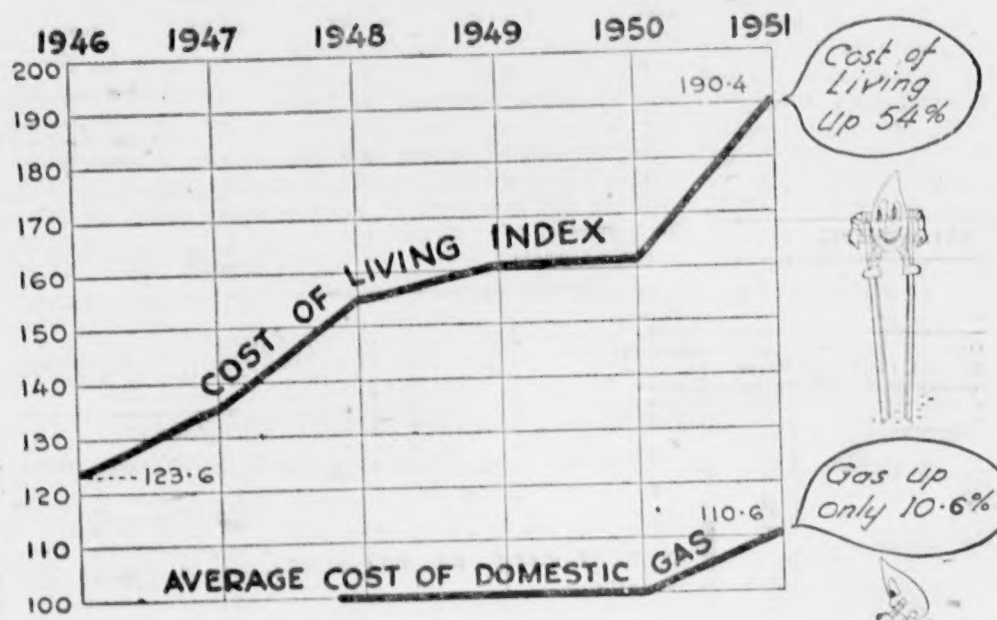
COST PER CUSTOMER
1946 — \$7.52
1951 — 10.74

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A Comparison of the Average Cost of Natural Gas to Domestic Consumers in Edmonton with the Cost of Living Index.



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Page Mr. Brannan!

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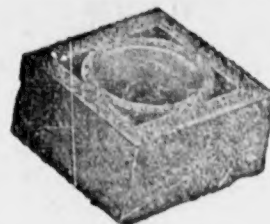
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Our plans were to live in this house one year, but he says he may not build one at all. I am not happy here and he is well aware of that. In fact, I can't stand it.

A separation would be bad for the children on both sides. I have grown children who are all on their own.

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step-children are married or single, but I suppose you feel that you are not really mistress of your home and this makes you unhappy.

I think you should either be mistress of your husband's home, or if he feels that it belongs to his children even before his death, he should move to another home that you can run.

No woman likes to play second fiddle in her home and a man should have that matter settled before he marries a second time.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa—We are a couple of very unhappy girls. We, without realizing it, stood up a couple of fellows that we like a lot.

We accepted a second date after we thought they had gone. Unfortunately, they saw us and now they won't speak to us. But they are always passing us and ignoring us.

We would like your advice as to how we can get them to talk to us so we can explain the situation.

Please help us.

DOUBLE-TROUBLED.

Answer:

I think your best plan is to write them a letter and start it off by asking them to read it through. Then tell them that you would not have stood them up, knowingly, but that you had reason to think they had gone. Then ask them to give you an opportunity to explain to them the circumstances.


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VIMY NEWS BRIEFS

In hospital lately from Vimy were Mrs. Leon Riopel and Mrs. Pat O'Brian, Miss Denise Casavant and Yvonne Fortier.

Mr. Robert Huot left lately for work in a lumber camp for the winter.

Mrs. M. MacNamara and her baby boy from Boyle were holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. M. Derko and other relatives.

During the past week all the parishioners have been attending an interesting retreat. The retreat is being preached by Rev. Father Rondeau.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Vital Lachance, twins — two boys. Congratulations!

Construction on the annex of the U.G.G. elevator began a week ago.

Mr. Remi Carriere is holidaying in Vimy for a short time.

Miss Aline Casavant, nurse's aid at the Barrhead Hospital is holidaying at her parents' home.

The butcher shop has become the property of Mr. Wilfrid Provencal. It was formerly owned by Mr. Leon Riopel. Mr. Armand Provencal will work in the butcher shop.

Mr. Paul Huat, student at St. John's College, spent a week-end with his parents lately.

Miss Jeanette Bougie from Bonnyville was visiting Miss Rita Laplante during the week-end.

Miss Alice and Cecile Laplante were also visiting their parents during the week-end.

Drilling For Gas In Legal Area

According to a report in an Edmonton paper Northern Utilities has staked N.U.L. Legal No. 5, as a gas venture about three miles east of Long Island Home Gas Exploration No. 2 in LSD 11-16-57-24 W.4.

LEGAL NEWS BRIEFS

Father Jacob was in Morinville to bless the marriage of Rene Ouellete of this parish and Lorette Houle of Morinville. The couple will reside in Morinville.

Father Langevin and Father Jacob were in Morinville Monday morning assisting Rt. Rev. Mgr.

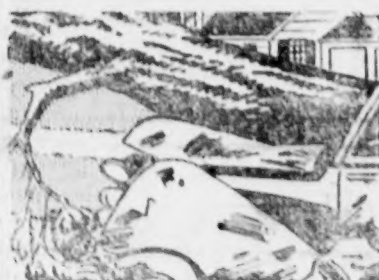
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Three important meetings were held in the course of this last week. Monday evening members of the FUA Senior discussed details of the coming convention.

A second meeting of the Knights of Columbus was held in the parish hall on Thursday evening to discuss plans for the next initiation, which is to be held at the beginning of December, and also the details of the annual Christmas tree for the school children.

A third meeting was held in the parish hall by the taxpayers of School Division No. 6 of the town of Legal, for the nomination of a grand trustee for the said Division, and also to discuss the possibility of the construction of a new school for next year.

The ladies of Ste. Anne parish held a tea party at the residence of Mrs. Jos. Chamberland.

Patricia Jeanne Marie Dauphinais, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Dauphinais, was baptised recently.

The school skating rink, which was inaugurated lately, is proving a pleasant pastime for the school children. A bingo party was held,

the proceeds of which will help in the maintenance of the rink.

Mr. and Mrs. Aurel Charrois left recently on a trip east to see some of their relatives. Also Mr. and Mrs. Camille Bolle left a few days

ago for a trip to Oshawa, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Nazaire Lessard were in Bonnyville on Sunday.

Rev. Father Dechamplain, pastor of Manning, is here with his parents for a rest and holiday.



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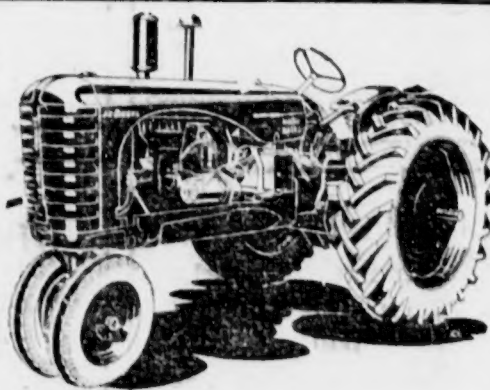
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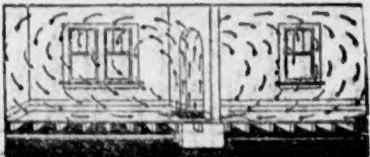
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